

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Geo. R. Miller came in Friday night.

Dr. O. S. Dunbar and wife were at Knifley last week.

Dr. M. O. Sallee was in Jamestown last week.

Drs. J. G. Staples and R. Y. Hindman are at home on a visit.

The mother and sisters of Mr. L. V. Hall arrived Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Wilson is visiting at the Russell Springs.

Mr. Tyler Coleman, Elkhorn, was here last Friday night.

Mr. P. S. Rowe, Jamestown, visited our merchants last week.

Mr. Frank Corcoran, Lebanon, was here last week.

Mrs. R. M. Hurt has been lying in a critical condition for the past week.

Mrs. Sam Allen is visiting her son Leslie in Bowling Green, this week.

Mr. W. L. Darrell, Jamestown, was in Columbia one day last week.

Mr. Sam Terry, Hiseville, was here looking after fancy horses last week.

Mr. T. B. Curry, of Amandaville, was in Columbia last week.

Hon. M. Rey Yarberry returned from Frankfort last Thursday night.

Mr. J. O. Russell and Mrs. Kizzie Murrell have returned from market.

Mr. W. L. Walker and wife and Mrs. L. L. Eubank returned from market Saturday night.

Mr. S. C. Neat, who has been in Louisville several weeks, has returned to Adair county.

Mrs. Anderson Holladay, who was dangerously ill last week, is very much improved.

Mrs. A. B. Gowdy, of Campbellsville, is visiting her father, Mr. Lewis Triplett and family.

Mrs. Jo Rosenfield was very sick last Sunday afternoon, two physicians being in attendance.

Messrs. J. H. Colter, A. C. Hill and W. S. Hill, Campbellsville, were in Columbia last Saturday.

Misses Bettie Young and Mabel Wolford attended the Taylor-Sutton nuptials at Gilead the 14th.

Mr. G. W. Gresham, of Amandaville, was in Columbia Saturday, Mr. Gresham is the manufacturer of a broom that is a ready seller.

Mr. R. L. Browning and daughter, of Metcalfe county, were in Columbia last Tuesday to see his daughter, Mrs. Pointer, who is very low with consumption.

The following Masons, members of Edmonds Chapter, No. 83, held at Lebanon, Ky., were in this city the first of the week, and reorganized Columbia Chapter, R. A. M., No. 7:

W. G. Spencer, W. R. Johnston, Jas. Bell, John Rubel, Ben P. Doom, Lee A. Secare, O. D. Thomas, J. E. Edmonds, J. F. Harcourt, John T. Carter, Henry Dahlinger, W. T. Hawkins.

Mr. Guy Breeding, son of Mr. C. M. Breeding, left for Texas Monday morning. He is a young man of good habits and we hope to hear excellent reports of him. His father and mother will follow later.

Messrs. George, Moses and James Wooten and their families; Moses Sparks and family, Jas. Roe and family, all of the Sparksville country, left for Oklahoma the first of the week. Mr. Matthew Wooten accompanied the colony, but he will return in thirty days.

LOCAL JOTTINGS.

Circuit court opened at Greensburg last Monday.

The Courier-Journal and Adair County News, \$1.25.

Last week Adair county farmers were quite busy, sowing oats.

If you need horse and jack bills send us your order.

Circuit Court is in session at Burksville, Judge Jones presiding.

The latest and most fashionable visiting cards at this office.

The series of meetings at the Baptist church are to commence in June.

Committees for the Goebel Monument fund will be published next week.

It is said there will be an abundance of all kinds of fruit, excepting peaches.

We can furnish you fertilizer at \$1.10 per 100 pounds and up. W. F. Jeffries & Son.

A very enjoyable candy pulling was given at the residence of Mrs. Jo Rosenfield last Saturday night.

It pays to buy the best fertilizer for your crops. See W. F. Jeffries & Son before buying.

Two men will be tried for murder during the present term of the Cumberland circuit court.

Farmers who want to raise horses or mule colts will make no mistake in breeding to J. W. Marshall's stock. 3t

Mr. Sam S. Terry bought of Coffey Bros., last week, one mare, known as the Norris animal, for \$150.

A house pattern for sale, all good material containing about 15,000 feet. E. A. McKinley.

Born, to the wife of Adair Montgomery, on the 5th of Feb., a boy. This is the 7th son and all Democrats.

Last Saturday was St. Patrick's day. It was generally celebrated by the Irish throughout this country.

The old school house building at Neatsburg will be sold to the highest bidder March 31st, and a contract let for the erection of a new building.

For Sale.—10 head of mules from 5 to 7 years old, 14 to 16 hands high, in good flesh. Also a few young mules. Smith & Nell, Gradyville, Ky.

There will be a four week's Normal at Russell Springs, Ky., commencing April 23, 1900. For further particulars call on or address A. H. Ballard, Kimble, Ky.

The celebrated Jack, Jo Gartin, will make the season of 1900 at the farm of J. Pierce Dohoney, on Campbellsville pike, four miles from Columbia. 2t.

For Sale.—Two cows with young calves and one stripper. Call at once if you want a bargain, Jas. S. Naylor, Columbia, Ky.

Adair County Court of Claims will meet next month. At this meeting the advisability of building bridges will again be presented to the court.

Eld. F. C. Shearer will preach at Cane Valley next Sunday forenoon, and at Rocky Hill at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, same day.

For Sale.—A good farm, well-improved, all necessary buildings, lying on Cumberland river, Russell county. J. M. Smith, Lula, Ky.

Mr. G. A. Atkins lost one of his fine work mules last week. The mule was graveled and died from lock-jaw. Mr. Atkins had just refused \$100 for this mule a few days before.

All parties owing me either note or account are requested to call and settle at once. I need money. J. W. Jackman.

It is some time until the next election for all the county officers, nevertheless there are candidates already feeling the sentiments of the people.

For Sale.—Two cows, one a stripper, and the other will be fresh about the 10th of this month; also 7 head of shoats that will average about 100 lbs. Z. T. Campbell, Pellyton, Ky.

Quarterly meeting of the Methodist church will be held at Carmel on the 7th and 8th of April. There will be an all day meeting on the 7th—dinner on the ground. Every body invited.

The colored people are holding a protracted meeting near town. They have a minister from a distance, and it is said he is delivering interesting sermons.

Mr. L. B. Hurt informs us that there is a little lull in the stove business just now, but that his company has a sale for all that have been purchased.

There is a big demand for white oak timber just now. Several mills in Adair county are sawing no other kind of lumber. It is said that oak is the most popular lumber for furniture.

For sale.—Having bought the Middleburg college from the Georgetown college, I wish to sell this large brick school building together with three acres of land, for further particulars address Mc. Wheat, Middleburg, Ky.

The poultry business in Adair county has been very brisk for the past four weeks. The county will realize hundreds of dollars from the sale of chickens, turkeys, ducks and geese.

Strayed.—From the mill lot, last Friday morning, a large red cow, with horns with chain around them. Will reward the person who will furnish information that will lead to her recovery. Columbia Mill Co.

Don't fail to buy a Rocky Mountain cherry and the Columbian Raspberry, from the agents of the Knoxville Nurser Co., Messrs. Starns and Martin. These fruits ought to have a place at every home.

Mr. R. L. Roberts, of Leitchfield, reached Columbia a few days ago, and has taken charge of the barber shop at the Conover Hotel. He comes well recommended and solicits your patronage.

Mr. J. F. Triplett found three wild ducks on Russell's creek last Saturday afternoon. He killed two the first shot, and dropped the third one while it was winging its flight. They were very fat.

"Bliss" is the name of a new post-office just established near the residence of Mr. Ben Grissom, on the Glasgow road. Mr. Lee Grissom is the post master. It will be a great convenience to the people in that neighborhood.

Representative Boring has introduced a bill in Congress to pension John W. Turpen, of Columbia, at \$12 per month. Also a bill paying Mrs. Fannie R. Pierce, of Cane Valley, \$140 for a horse taken by Confederates from her late husband during the war.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Martha Medaris was born in Adair county, Kentucky, July 29, 1817, and died at her home, near Glenville, March 13, 1900. She was the daughter of John and Mary Murrell, who long since passed from earth to heaven. She was a sister of Rev. S. L. Murrell, of the Louisville Conference, who was for four years Presiding Elder of the Columbia District. She was the last of her father's family, save one, Jesse Q. Murrell, once a merchant of this town, and now living in Fort Worth, Texas. He is now nearly ninety years old and is in good health.

She was married to Moses Medaris, February 15, 1845, who departed this life about two months since in hope of a blessed immortality, and she has quickly gone to join him on the other bright shore to part no more. She was converted when quite young and joined the Methodist church, and for nearly seventy years walked in the light of God's truth, and let her light shine before those around her, and especially around her home. She was never very vigorous, but had a good measure of energy, and was busy all through life. She was very even tempered, rarely, if ever, showing any lack of patience.

She was a good neighbor, and was greatly beloved by those with whom she mixed and mingled. She never recovered from the shock her husband's death gave her, but with an uncomplaining spirit she bore her sorrows until death put a period to all her troubles, and the golden gates swung back upon its hinges, and she passed into the heavenly city to join many loved ones gone before.

May the God of all consolation comfort the hearts of all the children and grandchildren and help them to be ready to meet Him when death shall come. Jesse L. Murrell.

In Masonic Circles.

Columbia Chapter No. 7 Royal Arch Masons was reorganized in this city last Monday and fourteen members were added to the order by the efficient and active work of the twelve brethren who came from Lebanon for the purpose of carrying us farther into the mystic ties of Masonry. It would be useless for us to comment on their efficiency, for the Lebanon Chapter is known to be one of the brightest in the State. The meeting and work here was pleasant and highly profitable.

The visiting and working brethren were cordially welcomed by the craft of this city and every thing within our power was done to make their stay a pleasant one. They were given the best rooms at the Conover Hotel where they received the most courteous attention. On Monday night a bountiful supper was spread at the Hancock Hotel and such refreshments served that will linger in the memories of all who participated. Fully one hour was spent in serving this bountiful mid-night banquet, made doubly pleasant by the many toasts given from our visiting brethren, eulogizing our town and the bright prospects of Masonry in this locality. Responses were made by some of our members, making the meeting very enjoyable. The following officers were selected for the ensuing term:

J. O. Russell, High Priest.
J. E. Murrell, King.
Jas. Garnett, Jr., Scribe.
T. R. Stults, Secretary.
R. F. Paul, Treasurer.
L. B. Hurt, C. of Host.
C. S. Harris, Prin. Sojourner.
T. F. Walton, R. A. Captain.
J. W. Jackman, Sentinel.
Horace Jeffries, M. First V.
W. B. Cave, M. Second V.
H. C. Baker, M. Third V.

Temperance.

Miss Edie Falkenberg, an accomplished young lady of Jamestown, and an untiring temperance worker, writes us concerning memorial services held in her town on Tuesday evening, the 13th inst., in honor of the late Mrs. Frances E. Willard.

The exercises consisted of recitations, declamations, songs, and an address by Capt. John L. Phelps. The audience was large and the exercises very enjoyable.

The Eleventh district meeting of the W. C. T. U's will be held at Jamestown beginning April 30th and will continue four days. In the meantime Mrs. Beauchamp, a noted temperance speaker, will lecture at the following times and places:

Liberty, Saturday, April 21st.
Middleburg, Sunday, April 22.
Dunnville, Monday, April 23.
Russell Springs, Tuesday, April 24.
Columbia, Wednesday, April 25.
Creelsboro, Thursday, April 26.
Albany, Friday, April 27.
Monticello, Sunday, April 29.
Jamestown, Monday, April 30.

NOTICE.

We will leave in a few days for the wholesale markets, where we expect to select the nicest and prettiest stock of millinery goods that has ever been brought to Columbia. We invite all to come and see our goods before buying.

MRS. TIM BRADSHAW.

MISS EFFIE BRADSHAW.

Your attention is called to the advertisement of Mr. J. W. Coffey in this issue of the News. Mr. Coffey enjoys the reputation of being one of the best smiths in this entire country, and we bespeak for him a fine trade in his line, black-smithing and wood work.

Paid list since our last issue: W. D. Grissom, Adair Montgomery, J. Pierce Dohoney, Porter Morgan, J. W. Pelley J. N. Squires, G. W. Gresham, Curt Grady, John Chelf, R. B. Tucker, Dolphus Barbridge.

At The Altar.

On Wednesday evening last, at the hour of 3 o'clock, Willie P. Taylor and Lillie E. Sutton were united in the bonds of matrimony at the Mt. Gilead church. The attendants were Misses Fannie Hatcher, Maud Sutton and Mrs. Una White; Messrs. Henry E. Christie, Jas. C. Sublett and Willie W. Cornelson. Misses Maud Sutton and Fannie Hatcher were handsomely dressed in white and were the flower bearers. Rev. Will Dudgeon performed the ceremony and the march was rendered by Mrs. Anna Hatcher. The bride is a beautiful young woman and admired by all who know her. The groom is a handsome young man, the oldest son of T. G. Taylor, one of the best farmers on Caney Fork. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party left for the home of the groom, where an elegant supper awaited them. The happy pair have a host of friends who wish them much success in life.

"NOBODY'S GIRL."

Attention!

There are many hill sides in this county that are not yielding a dividend to the owners. There are many little spots around the gardens and yards that could be made profitable and ornamental by judicious proceedings and in our judgment these various hill-sides could be made profitable by planting orchards of good substantial varieties of such fruits as are well known. There are many spots around the gardens and yards that the pear would flourish. The Knoxville Nursery Co., offers you the finest varieties and thrifty trees at old prices. We guarantee everything correct. We refer to the best citizens of Somerset as to our standing. We ask your trade and will do you right.

Yours Truly,
J. W. STARNES,
W. F. MARTIN,
Salesmen.

Adair County Enumerators.

The census of the United States will be taken during the month of June, 1900. The following named gentlemen are enumerators appointed for Adair county:

Cane Valley, Geo. W. Pike.
Casey Creek and Pellyton, S. L. Coffey.

Little Lake and White Oak, Frank W. Miller.

Glenville and Harmony, Z. T. Taylor.

Gradyville and Elroy, J. H. Nell.

Milltown and Keltner, L. C. Hindman.

West Columbia, Geo. Nell.
East Columbia, A. D. Patterson.

Married.

Mr. L. C. Blair, son of Dr. William Blair, and a popular young druggist of Glenville, this county, was married to Miss Maud Burbridge, an estimable young woman, daughter of Mrs. E. M. Burbridge, on Wednesday the 14th.

Rev. J. L. Murrell officiated, pronouncing a solemn and impressive ceremony. Quite a number of friends and relatives witnessed the union, bidding the young couple God's speed in all their future undertakings.

WHO PREACHES NEXT SUNDAY.

—W. S. Dudgeon, at Bethlehem.

—Lawrence Williams, at Campbellsville.

—E. W. Barnett, at Gradyville.

—T. L. Hulse, at Pleasant Ridge.

—W. H. C. Sandidge, Hopewell, Hart county.

—T. F. Walton, this city.

—P. L. Kilgore, at Milltown in morning and Pollard's Chapel evening.

—W. B. Cave, at Liberty.

—Rev. Gibson, at West Fork.

Notwithstanding the weather was very disagreeable last Sunday night, a fair audience greeted Rev. E. W. Barnett, who delivered an interesting sermon.

Dr. John Wise, who was known to a great many people of Columbia, died at the home of his son-in-law, near Campbellsville, on the 12th inst. He was an optician and made frequent visits to this city. He was about 75 years old, cultured, and universally respected.

Spring Millinery !!

WILL LEAVE FOR THE

Wholesale Markets, in a short time to buy my Spring stock of Millinery. My customers and friends will please bear this in mind and give me their special orders beforehand in order that I may get just what you want. I propose this Spring to

Buy a Stock

That Will Eclipse

anything ever shown in Columbia, and ask the ladies of Adair and adjoining counties to call and see me in the Spring before they buy. My store will be at the same place it has been for the past two seasons.

MRS. E. T. STRANGE.

Musical and art entertainment at the Christian church, beginning next Thursday night. The first entertainment will be free.

Lewis Warner, Craycraft, charged with selling whisky, was brought before Commissioner Winfrey last Friday. The proof was conclusive and the accused was held in the sum of \$200 to appear before United States Court.

Last week Mr. N. M. Tutt bought a small farm from Mr. J. G. Smith on the Stanford road, 2 miles from town. This farm is in one of the best communities in the county, and the aforesaid purchaser says he will set the pace for progressive and profitable farming—a remarkable agriculturalist.

Mr. A. B. Wilmore, of Gradyville, was in town last Saturday and informed us that Mr. W. L. Grady's fine young stallion, Jordan Star, had one of his fore legs broke last Friday night. We regret that this misfortune has befallen Mr. Grady, and trust that it may not ruin the horse, as he is one of the finest in the State.

The attention of our readers is called to Russell & Murrell's "ad" in today's paper. The members of this firm have just returned from Louisville, Cincinnati and St. Louis, buying the largest stock of general merchandise they have ever offered to this market. They respectfully invite you to call and look through their stock.

Mrs. Jackman, the mother of Mr. John W. Jackman, this city, will likely receive a nice sum of money in a short time. It is funds due her late husband who served in the Federal army. The papers have been signed and forwarded to Washington, and those who are looking after the matter, say there is no doubt but the money will be paid.

Mr. W. D. Grissom, who was born and reared in Adair county, is a prosperous merchant in Syracuse, Kansas. He has also accumulated some valuable city realty, and is getting in fine shape as rapidly as industry and close attention to business will push him along. We are glad to make this announcement, and trust that Mr. Grissom will accumulate a fortune and return to Adair county to enjoy it.

Mr. J. W. Coy, the photographer, presented C. S. Harris, last week, a large photo of Gov. Goebel in a beautiful frame. Mr. Coy is a good artist but this picture seems to be the best of all his work. Any party desiring a fine photo of Gov. Goebel can get it from Mr. Coy for a mere trifle. If you want a picture don't put it off, but send in your order at once. We here by tender our thanks to Mr. Coy. The picture is highly appreciated.

Mr. J. C. Morrison has bought from Greensburg parties the Universal wood-worker, Turning, Lathe and Scroll-saw. His shop will be at the Columbia Mill. Mr. Morrison is an experienced man in this line and can soon furnish on short notice any thing in his line. This section has long needed such an enterprise and Mr. Morrison is entitled to your consideration if you need any "ginger-bread" on your house. Read his "ad" in another column.

Mr. E. G. Atkins advertises a fine hog in to-day's paper.

GRADYVILLE.

A. B. Wilmore was in Columbia Saturday.

H. A. Moss returned from Burksville last week.

Charles Cabell, Camp Knox, was in our town last Saturday on business.

L. M. Wilmore made a business trip to Cumberland county last week.

Mr. D. J. Schooling has returned from New Market.

M. C. Winfrey, Columbia, was with us one day last week.

Mr. G. H. Neil spent a day or so in Milltown last week.

H. C. Walker we venture to say has the nicest bunch of heifers in the county. They are fat enough for beef and good size.

Our college will soon be completed. The painting is being done by Mr. W. R. Sexton, who certainly understands his business.

Andy Sneed, a young man of this community, got his leg broken last week.

Keltner & Pile are bunching a nice lot of logs, preparatory to having a large amount of lumber sawed for the market.

Mr. George Roberts, Sparksville, was in our city last week and informed us that last fall he bought 100 barrels of corn in Cumberland county at \$1.50 per barrel. He has recently been offered \$2.50 at the same place.

Mill & Keltner have recently secured property at Lisletown and will move there in a short time. They will put up a first-class wood and blacksmith shop.

Mr. Sam Terry, of Hiseville, passed through here last week en route for Columbia.

J. A. Diddle sold a fine young mare to Dr. S. A. Taylor last week.

Robert McCaffree, the County Surveyor, was in our community last week surveying land.

Mrs. J. W. Hurt accompany by Mr. Allen Pile, Columbia, spend a day or so last week by the bedside of Mrs. C. C. Yates.

Miss Lorena Pile, of Columbia, spent a few days last week visiting relatives.

Gradyville Fine Stock Stables, Gradyville, Kentucky.



This beautiful stallion, Jordan Peacock, will make the present season at my stable in Gradyville, Kentucky, at the low price of \$10.00 to insure a living colt. Money due when colt is foaled, or mare traded or removed from the neighborhood.

in existence better adapted to meet the demands of everybody.

JORDAN STAR.

Jordan Star is a three-year-old, sired by Jordan Peacock, No. 118, dam by Bailey's Lexington, he by Cobell's Lexington, 2nd dam Old Wazie. Jordan Star is a beautiful bay with fine mane and tail, 15½ hands. He has been shown through the best fairs in Kentucky and Tennessee and out of 23 shows he won 22 blue strings and 1 red. He won his premiums under saddle, and in harness, both single and double, and in model rings.

There is not a better young horse living than Jordan Star. He will be permitted to serve 100 mares at \$10 to insure a living colt.

HAZLEWOOD.

(Standard Bred.)

Hazlewood is a Chestnut Sorrel 16½ hands, Was sired by Nutwood, 10,225, he by Nutwood 90, record 2:18½. Nutwood sold for \$2,800 when twenty-four years old, and was the sire of Belmont Boy, 21½, and 50 more with records better than 2:30. Hazlewood's first dam was by Elizabeth, he by Mambrino Chief, 11, he by Mambrino Paymaster, he by Imported Messenger.

This fine horse will serve mares at a price to suit the times to insure a living colt.

GOV. ST. JOHN

(Standard Bred.)

My fine Jack, 20, will make the season at the same place at \$20 on same terms as above.

Mr. J. A. Diddle sold, last fall, two yearling mules by Gov. St. John for \$750 each. If you want the best bred to the best. You will find them at Gradyville.

W. L. GRADY,

Gradyville, Kentucky.

R. K. YOUNG.

W. F. HANCOCK.